

Please amend the claim as following:

## CLAIM

What we claim as our invention is:

1. A body mountable small animal shoulder carrier and toy garment comprising:  
a top see-through, mesh fabric panel;  
a bottom brightly colored fabric panel communicating with said top panel at neck opening and outer edges in order to construct tunnel walls within said garment so that a small animal, reptile, insect, etc., can easily be observed, provide adequate circulation and confine it while it is being transported and displayed;  
a means of releasable attachment, such as releasable fasteners like snaps, hook-loop attachment, etc., of said top panel to bottom panel to close a gap therebetween;  
a neck opening, said neck opening defined by the area in the center of the garment, creating a left front panel and right front panel to the garment;  
and wherein said means of releasable attachment provides a means of lateral translation of said left front panel in relation to said right front panel, whereby said neck opening may be adjusted for size by adjustment of said means of lateral translation of said left front panel in relation to said right front panel.
2. The device as defined in claim 1 further comprising:  
said means of releasable attachments of said top panel and said bottom panel to construct tunnels within the garment cavity produced by the attachment of said top panel to said bottom panel.
3. The device as defined in claim 2 further comprising:  
a selectable small animal toy from a group of releasably attachable animal toys, said selectable animal toy releasably attachable to tunnel's floor and walls of said garment; and means to releasably attach said selectable animal toy to said garment within the tunnel's floor and walls of said garment.